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**RE: MUR 6386** 

Gates Banking & Trust Company

Dear Mr. Sanberg:

On October 6, 2010, the Federal Election Commission notified your client, Gates Banking and Trust Company, of a complaint alleging that it had violated certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act").

On June 14, 2011, the Commission considered the complaint, but there was an insufficient number of votes to find no reason to believe that Gates Banking and Trust Company violated 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a). Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003) and Statement of Policy Regarding Placing First General Counsel's Reports on the Public Record, 74 Fed. Reg. 66132 (Dec. 14, 2009). One or more Statements of Reasons explaining the Commission's decision will follow.

If you have any questions, please contact Delbert K. Rigsby, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

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